



SIGURD ANDERSON
GOVERNOR

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P R O C L A M A T I O N

WHEREAS, John James Audobon has made distinguished contributions to American life and art through his paintings of American birds and mammals, and

WHEREAS, the journals of his explorations in the American Wilderness afford rare insight into the problems of the pioneers; and

WHEREAS, Audobon was among the first to express concern about the destruction of our nation's wildlife; and

WHEREAS, a continent-wide organization which bears his name is carrying on a continuing campaign to conserve our natural resources; and

WHEREAS, the year 1951 offers a singular opportunity to pay tribute to this pioneer naturalist and artist, who died January 27, 1951;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Sigurd Anderson, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of January 21st to January 27th, 1951 as

AUDOBON CENTENNIAL WEEK

and do urge the observance of said week by all interested organizations and individuals.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed this 15th day of January, 1951.

Sigurd Anderson
Governor

ATTEST:

Geraldine Ostroot
Secretary of State

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